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Dear Mr. Weisberg,

I read Whitewash (I) many years ago and am just now re-reading it. It is a truly masterful piece of work, and I marvel at the speed with which you were able to accomplish it. You must surely take great satisfaction in the obvious fact that no one has done anything better in all the intervening years--despite the several hundred books that have been published.

My hope is to get caught up on a few things and to telephone you rather soon to see if we can find a suitable time for me to come by for a chat.

Spring is sweeping through Southside Virginia this week, and it is a little hard for me to get moving. The goldfinches, which have favored us for nearly three weeks this year, seem to have departed yesterday. I guess they knew my thistle seed was almost depleted.

With all good wishes, I remain,

Cordially yours,

Hen.

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